

REMARKS

Entry of the foregoing amendments prior to examination is respectfully requested.

The specification was amended to correctly identify the drawings in the specification.

The claims 1-10 and 13-24 have been cancelled. This amendment is made to cover the subject matter remaining from parent application serial no. 10/177,962.

In view of the above, each of the presently pending claims in this application is believed to be in immediate condition for allowance. Accordingly, the Examiner is respectfully requested to pass this application to issue.

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